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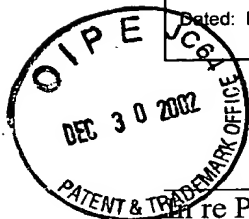
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Docket No.: 49581/P016US/09806411
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
S. Vincent Birleson

Application No.: 09/224,219

Group Art Unit: 2685

Filed: December 30, 1998

Examiner: T. Gesesse

For: (Amended) TUNER SYSTEM SELF
ADAPTIVE TO SIGNAL ENVIRONMENT

AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2002 (Paper No. 9), rejecting claims 1-42, 44-50, and 52-53, please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows in light of the amendments and comments that follow:

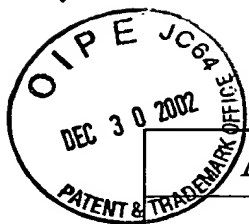
In the Title

Please replace the title with the following new title:

TUNER SYSTEM SELF ADAPTIVE TO SIGNAL ENVIRONMENT

In the Claims

No amendments have been made to the claims. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c), applicant includes all pending claims, as previously amended and remaining unchanged, for the convenience of the Examiner.



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 49581/P016US/09806411	
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				Art Unit 2683	
Applicant(s): S. Vincent Birleson					
Invention: TUNER SYSTEM SELF ADAPTIVE TO SIGNAL ENVIRONMENT					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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Total Claims	27	- 53 =		x	0.00
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